HOUSE BILL 1533

By Lamar

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 4, Chapter 5 and Title 38, relative to law enforcement.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 38-8-312, is amended by deleting subdivision (b)(1) and substituting:

(1) A community oversight board has the power to issue subpoenas or subpoenas duces tecum as to any matter which is a proper subject of inquiry by the board. The subpoena must mention the names of the parties to the hearing, and, if necessary, require the witness also bring any materials under the person's control which may be pertinent to the hearing. In case of disobedience to any subpoena issued, the board may pursue the remedies available under § 4-5-311(b) to compel compliance with the subpoena.

SECTION 2. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.